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Public invited to participate in KTA's safety assessment

WICHITA, Kan.— The Kansas Turnpike Authority invites the public to participate in a safety assessment to evaluate and enhance safety on the Turnpike. Anyone who uses the Turnpike, whether daily or occasionally, is encouraged to share their thoughts.

“While KTA’s safety record is good, we continue to strive to do more,” said KTA’s CEO Steve Hewitt. “Input from Turnpike customers will allow us to identify possible safety concerns and better plan and prioritize safety efforts in the future.”

Safety is a long-standing priority of the KTA and is one of the goals in its five-year strategic plan, [Driving Change 2025](#), released earlier this year. Prior to the COVID-19 pandemic, the KTA began this initiative to evaluate and enhance safety on the Turnpike.

The survey, available [here](#) or on www.ksturnpike.com, is open until June 30.

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About KTA:

For nearly 65 years, the Kansas Turnpike Authority (KTA) maintains 236 miles of user-fee supported roadway from the Oklahoma border to Kansas City. KTA doesn’t receive state or federal tax funds. Instead, toll revenue pays for preservation and modernization of the Turnpike system. [KTA’s Strategic Plan](#) supports organizational goals with four strategic initiatives. KTA’s mission is to move Kansas forward by operating a safe, reliable and customer-valued turnpike system in a fiscally responsible, businesslike manner.

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